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ITEM TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN AN ORGANIZATION

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time for a period of two months to respond to the Office  
Action mailed on October 28, 2002.

A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed  
herewith.

The fee for a two months extension of time is \$410.00. Please charge this fee and any  
additional extension fee required or credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account Number **16-1885**.

A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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